Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 19 May 2023 until 23:59 on Saturday 20 May 2023

Forecast Issued on Thursday 18 May 2023 at 16:28

Confidence: Quite settled conditions with high pressure building from the south however fronts from Icelandic lows continue to cross the country bringing periods of mainly light rain and low cloud. Lower confidence in cloud amounts and periods of rainfall.

Headline for Friday 19 May 2023: A bright day with sunny spells and light winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 19 May 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Clear night	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
50%	50%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%

Forecast for Friday 19 May 2023

Weather: Dry and clear in the early hours and mainly dry for all with bright or sunny spells throughout the day. Feeling quite warm in the sunshine at times. A clear and dry evening expected to follow.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 90%, early low cloud may affect the summits.

Low cloud and visibility: Patches of low cloud around 600m, otherwise good or very good visibility.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	18/27 NW	16/23 NW	14/21 NW	14/20 NW	10/15 NW	9/14 NW	7/11 NE	7/9 E	7/10 W
300	11/21 N	10/17 NW	8/14 NW	8/15 NW	7/12 NW	5/10 N	5/8 E	3/5 E	4/7 N
Valley	10/19 NW	8/16 NW	6/12 NW	8/15 NW	6/12 NW	5/10 NW	3/7 E	3/5 N	3/6 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	7/3	6/2	6/2	7/4	9/7	11/9	10/9	8/7	8/6
300	9/6	7/4	8/6	10/8	12/11	14/13	12/11	10/9	9/9
Valley	10/7	8/6	9/7	12/10	14/12	15/14	13/13	11/10	10/10
<< Freezing Level*	1700m	1500m	1400m	1400m	1800m	2000m	2100m	2200m	2200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Quite a warm, humid day at lower levels.

Forecast for Saturday 20 May 2023

Weather: Cloudy at times with spells of light and patchy rain or drizzle, perhaps some mist and fog during the evening.

Maximum wind: Light and variable 5mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 70%, low cloud in association with light rain at times.

Low cloud and visibility: Patchy or scattered lower cloud layers above 500m at times in drizzle. General visibility will be good bur falling moderate or poor in any drizzle.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 9 rising to 15 Celsius.
At 700m: Plus 6 rising to 10 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above all summits.

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